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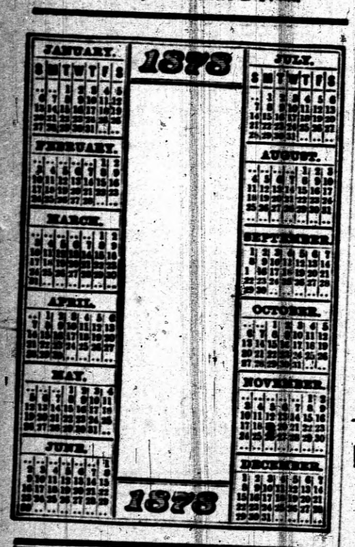

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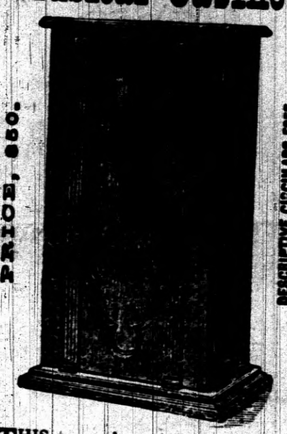

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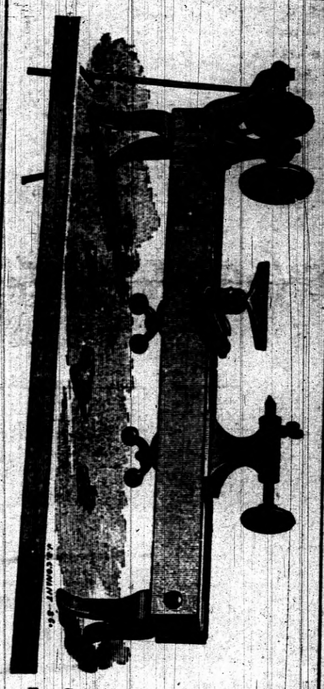

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Ex Governor Horatio Seymour in an address to a Dairymen's Association at Utica, last Thursday, proffered some sound advice on the subject of hard times, saying: "The times are well enough, and they are beyond our control. Let us not waste our time repining at these facts, but combine our energies to bring back again prosperity to our country. We are not suffering because we are deprived of the elements of success, but because we lack the industry and virtue requisite to that success. The American people should earn their substance by labor and industry, and not by the hazards of speculation."

If ever chastened humanity longs to cry out against the decrees of Nature, it is when it finds that there is no distinguishing trade-mark between pullets and young roosters. To the man who has tenderly cherished thirteen chickens through a long and vigorous Winter in the hope of realizing a harvest of eggs in the Spring, this bitter reflection comes with tenfold bitterness when he wakes up of a bright morning, to find those thirteen chickens perched on the back fence crowing for all that's out.

In the German empire 226,000 women above sixteen years of age are engaged in manufactures. About one-fourth are married, and more than one half are employed in the textile industry, 34,000 in the manufacture of cigars, and the rest in various branches. The duration of work is from ten to twelve hours a day, and never exceeds thirteen hours. In wages, the usual pay is from $1.25 to $2 per week, although many skilled work-women receive as much as $6.

FORGET THE PAST.—Let us bury the dead things of life deep in good honest soil, plant flowers on them, so that the place where they lie shall not be barren nor disfigured; make of each mistake, each sad experience, a means for future good and truth and beauty; and go on—always on—till we come to the end, when we ourselves shall be among the dead and buried, some of us remaining as beautiful remembrances, ever enshrined in honor and delight.

The publisher of a weekly paper in Illinois prints in each issue a chapter of the Bible, and upon being ridiculed it by his contemporaries, remarks editorially: "We publish nothing but what is news to our readers."

"Jamie, how's your church going on?" Not so very weel. There's na ane belangs 'cept me and Brother Sandy, and I'm thinking he's na orthodox and must be put out."

So far as we can judge from Mr. Morgan's sarcastic work on the new dollar, an Englishman's idea of the American eagle is pretty much the same as the Russian's idea of the British lion.

The Pecuniary Value of Life.

A certain amount of expense has to be incurred in any class before a child can attain such an age and such a strength that it can earn its own livelihood. It is very difficult to estimate what the expenses of even a careful man who passes through the ordinary university career must have been before he is able to earn anything for himself. Among the lower ranks the problem is simpler, though the facts and the general course of events have, making due allowance for difference in station, a considerable similarity. "The value of any class of lives is determined by valuing first at birth, or any age, the cost of future maintenance, and then the value of the future earnings. Thus proceeding, I found the value of a Norfolk agricultural laborer to be £246 at the age of twenty-five; the child is by this method worth only £5 at birth; £56 at the age of five; £117 at the age of ten; the youth £192 at the age of fifteen; the young man £234 at the age of twenty; the man £246 at the age of twenty five; £241 at the age of thirty, when the value goes on declining to £136 at the age of fifty-five and only £1 at the age of seventy; the cost of maintenance afterwards exceeding the earnings, the value becomes negative; at eighty the value of the cost of maintenance exceeds the value of the earnings £41." A computation of this kind places the value of a population before us in a new light. We see how great the vigor of the productive activity of the inhabitants of these islands must have been which has enabled the British Empire to make such vast strides in material wealth during the past forty years, while parting with so many of the youngest and ablest of the community to colonize other lands, and to carry to them that wealth which their labor would otherwise have been worth to the mother country.

WEBSTER AND HAYNE.—Webster once told his friend Harvey that several years before the great debate with Hayne he had investigated the whole subject of the public lands for the purpose of opposing a resolution of Mr. McKinley, a Senator from Alabama, proposing to cede the public domain to the States in which they were situated. The question never came up, and Mr. Webster said: "I had my notes tucked away in a pigeon-hole, and when Hayne made that attack upon me and upon New England, I was already posted, and had only to take down my notes and refresh my memory. In other words," said W. "if he had tried to make a speech to fit my notes he could not have hit it better. No man is inspired with the occasion. I never was." Of the many anecdotes about what took place between Mr. Hayne and Mr. Webster afterward, Mr. Harvey says were many stories which Mr. Webster characterized as untrue, but he vouches for the following: Mr. Webster met Mr. Hayne that night at the President's reception and, as he came up to him, Mr Webster remarked pleasantly: "How are you to-night?" "None the better for you, sir," was the General's humorous reply.

Keep the tongue from unkindness. Words are sometimes wounds; not very deep wounds, always, and yet they irritate. Speech is unkind sometimes when there is no unkindness in the heart. So much the worse that needless wounds are inflicted; so much the worse that unintentionally pain is caused.

Not long ago a man and his wife went to Kansas to settle. To enable them to pre empt two quarter sections of land they were divorced; each pre empted a claim, and as soon as their claims were made good they were re married, thus obtaining three hundred and twenty acres of land.

Young man, remember when going to see your sweetheart, whose father may look with disfavor upon your attentions, that a trade dollar worn in the hip pocket of your pants is very useful in case of an emergency.—*Danielsonville Sentinel.*

The Supreme Court of Georgia has decided, "for a man, without some innocent reason or excuse, to put his arm around the neck of another man's wife, is an assault and battery.

There is one thing calculated to develop all the latent pedestrian ability a woman possesses, and that is, to be caught out in a shower with her Sunday bonnet on and no umbrella.

Home should be made so truly home, that the weary, tempted heart could turn toward it anywhere, on the dusty highway of life, and receive light and strength.

"What will the present year bring forth?' asks an exchange. Bring Fourth of July of course.—*Fulton Times.*

Strychnia and its Antidote

A correspondent in Nature says: Wanting to banish some mice from a pantry I placed on the floor at night a slice of bread spread over with butter, in which I had mixed a threepenny packet of "Battle's Vermin Killer," which contains about a grain of strychnia, along with flour and Prussian blue. The following morning I was roused by a servant telling me that a favorite Skye-terrier was lying dead. I found that the mice had dragged the bread underneath the locked door, and that the dog had thus got at it and eaten a part equal to about one-sixth of a grain of strychnia; it lay on its side perfectly rigid; an occasional tetanic spasm showed that life was not quite extinct. Having notes of the experiments made by the direction of the British Association last on the antagonism of medicines, and wherein it was conclusively proved that a fatal dose of strychnia could be neutralized by a fatal dose of chloral hydrate, and that a minimum dose of the latter for a rabbit was twenty-one grains, I at once injected under the dog's skin forty-five grains of the chloral in solution, my dog being about twice the weight of a rabbit. In a quarter of an hour, fancying the dog was dead, as the spasms had ceased and it lay apparently lifeless, I moved it with my foot, when it at once struggled to its feet, and shortly after staggered to its usual corner by the parlor fire; it took some milk, and except for being quieter than usual, seemed nothing the worse for the ordeal it had passed through. That the fatal effects of a poisonous dose of strychnia was thus counteracted so successfully by what I should say was a poisonous dose of chloral, given hypodermically, is an interesting fact verifying the experiments alluded to. Without such experiments on the lower animals, a medical man might often be found standing by helpless to aid his fellowman under similar effects of poison.

Fine Language.

I wish young women could be taught says Mrs. Calhoun Rankle, that it does not add a cubit to the stature of a house to call it a "residence;" that a church even a meeting house is as venerable as the "sacred edifice;" that it is no more genteel to "retire" than to go to bed; that the garment so fondly and slowly covered with side-plaitings, so coldly and quickly frayed out along the paving stones, is really a gown, and not a "promenade costume;" that it need not bring a blush to the cheek of even Mr. Pedsnap's Young Person to say leg, instead of "limb," when leg is meant; that the supper at an evening party is not "the entertainment;" and that there are well-founded objections to the use of "nicely" as an adjective describing the state of one's health. To clothe low creeping matter with high-flown language," said old Fuller, "is not fine fancy, but flat foolery." It rather loads than raises a wren to fasten the feathers of an ostrich to her wings.

Americans are exporting coffins to London and putting them in the market at prices little more than half of those charged by Her Majesty's undertakers. The Yankees began by sending washing-machines, apple-parers and egg-beaters; then they shipped window-sashes, doors, panels and wainscots; within a year they have been exporting ready-made furniture of all kinds, from the commonest kitchen chair to the most elegant drawing-room table; and now they are following the Briton even to his grave and packing him underground in brand-new American coffins with patented handles and reversible lids, vastly superior to the English-made article, and with prices to suit the times.

A few days since Colonel Bradley T. Johnson, of Richmond, Va., requested permission from Governor Vance for the Walker Light Guard to pass through the State of North Carolina, on their way to Charleston. Governor Vance responded as follows: "Permission granted to pass through North Carolina with your command. Be virtuous and you'll be happy—but you wont have much fun.

A gentleman is now residing in a Boston garret, and finds it hard to pay for his daily bread, who two years ago was worth at least $200,000, a portion of which was invested in a prosperous summer hotel that was burned a few months since.

DYSPEPSIA.—A simple and effectual remedy for dyspepsia is to abstain from drinking immediately before and during meals, and for an hour after. Also use no milk in either tea or coffee.

A Chinese legend says that the feet of every pair to be united in wedlock are from infancy tied together with an invisible thread of silk.

Wondering that the Turks Live.

It is certainly a mystery that the inhabitants of the Ottoman Empire did not all perish years ago from pulmonary diseases. Their feet are first swathed in a coarse rag, which is then wound round the lower part of the leg, and bound tightly with twine; on the rag is tied a piece of sole leather hammered into a rudely shaped sandal, with sides rising one inch up the side of the foot; holes are cut in the upper edges of the sandal and strings tied in them, and then fastened over the top of the foot. It is evident that their feet are wet the moment they step into mud or water over an inch in depth. This they are doing constantly in bad weather; consequently their feet are soaking wet for a week at a stretch, and yet they live and multiply. They violate every known law of hygiene in the ventilation and often in the cleanliness of their dwellings, and yet their children are generally sturdy looking, and the adults show fair average physique. They sleep in rows on a mat laid upon the floor of their underground huts. Sometimes the floor is covered with them, and yet they do not appear to suffer for want of oxygen.—*London Times.*

SHORT WALKING DRESSES.—It is of little use for the public at large to anathematize fashion, if the majority of women fail to see or appreciate the efforts that are made to unite fashion with good sense and good taste. For some months past walking dresses of a length to clear the ground, or, at least, not to require holding up, have been pressed upon the attention of fashionable women, who could at once relieve their entire sex from a burden which bears heavily upon strength and threatens individual life, but many of these ride in carriages, and, therefore, know nothing of the disagreeable consequences of dragging a weight of skirts upon the pavement. In France the walking dress is universally adopted, and is generally of a dark, soft woolen material cut short enough to offer no obstacle to locomotion and requiring no effort to keep it out of dirt and debris of the streets and crossings. In this country short walking dresses are supremely the necessity of those women who lead active lives, and the opportunity is now offered them of adopting the style sanctioned by the authority of the best taste, which will at once relieve them from the odium of being street sweepers.

SOCIAL "DECEPTIONS".—I heard an amusing criticism upon Washington society the other day, and not without its sober lessons. A sable Chloe entering the room of her employer a few days ago delivered herself emphatically thus: "Well, ma'am, yestiddy was surely a deception day. I was out on K street and the whole place was jammed up with carriages and people. Most everybody out there deceived. I believe that Mr. Evarts must have plenty of money. He paid a man $5 just to stand there and open the carriage doors.—He is going to give another deception to-morrow night and have fifteen hundred people at it. Well! well! what I wonder at, is what time do they 'low themselves to serve the Lord!".—*A Washington Letter.*

A preacher remarked on concluding a long and wearisome discourse, that "he could have expressed all he had said on that subject in five minutes, but he knew that many of his audience had come a long distance, and expected to hear a sermon." A great many preachers have felt this way about their sermons, but lacked the frankness to say so. The people expect, as a general thing, so many minutes of sermon, and if the minister cuts them short as to time, they suspect that they are not getting the worth of their money out of him. He may water his material as liberally as he pleases, and it is all right if he only holds out long enough.

There is nothing more to be esteemed than a manly firmness and decision of character. I like a person who knows his own mind and sticks to it; who sees at once what is to be done in given circumstances and does it. He does not beat about the bush for difficulties or excuses, but goes the shortest and most effectual way to obtain his own ends, or to accomplish a useful object. If he can serve you, he will; if he cannot, he will say so.

There is wild excitement among people in Trigg county, Ky., over an expectation of the near approach of the judgment day. Many have abandoned business and all earthly concerns, and given themselves up to religious exercises.

Servant looks into the breakfast-room and says: "Please, ma'am there's a beggar woman in the kitchen wants something to eat." "Give her the water in which the eggs were boiled this morning, Bridget it's quite nutritious."

THE CHRONICLE.

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1878.

County Official Press.

NEW LAWS.

Following is a list of bills signed by the Governor during the last hours of the session.

Permitting women to become attorneys at law.

Creating the Municipal Court of appeals in San Francisco.

Adding new section to Civil Code concerning the mortgage of growing crops.

Exemption of unpaid members of fire companies from payment of road and poll tax.

Amending the Political Code relating to insurance.

Amending Civil Code and repealing certain Acts relative to insurance.

Adding a certain section to the Political Code relative to the militia.

Appropriating $1250 for the California Horticultural Society.

Creating the office of Commissioner of transportation, (Hart bill.)

Providing for the payment of deficiencies.

Creating Sacramento drainage district

Constructing canal from the Upper Sacramento to Snisun Bay.

Amending Political Code relating to the publication of delinquent taxes.

Amending section 140 of the Political Code.

Allowing the Directors of the Stockton Insane Asylum mileage.

Authorizing Clerk of Supreme Court to make a general and analytical index.

Amending Section 1254 and 1257 of Code of Civil Proceedure.

Eminent Domain bill.

General Appropriation bill.

Authorizing Board of Examiners to allow D. Jordan's claim for buildings at University.

Swift's bill to make bunko, strap game and other cheating games, a felony.

Fixing the terms of Court in the Third Judicial District.

Making appropriations for deficiencies in the twenty-eighth and twenty-ninth fiscal years.

Amending section 1160 of the Civil Code relating to foreign ordinglletters patent.

Adding section to Penal Code for protecting irrigating ditches, flumes and reservoirs.

Amending sections 3857 and 3858 of the Political Code, relating to poll taxes.

Amending section 425 of the Code of Civil procedure, regarding land titles.

Amending the Civil Code relating to chattel mortgages.

Authorizing the mortgage of machinery used in the manufacture of wine and preservation of fruits.

Amending section 1161 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to unlawful detainer.

Enabling railroad companies to complete railroads.

Appropriating $5,000 for relief of sufferers by late floods.

Providing for printing of enrolled bills.

Authorizing managers of Orphan Asylums to give their consent to the adoption of children.

Appropriation of $2,500 as additional legislative contingent fund.

Amending section 325 of the Code of Civil Procedure, defining adverse possession.

Amending section 312 and 315 of the Civil Code relative to directors of corporations.

In relation to warehouse and wharfinger's receipts.

Prohibiting issue of warehouse receipts for goods not actually in store.

Granting relief to tax payers whose lands have been sold to the State.

Judge Blake's House of Correction bill.

Pierson's bill imposing a tax on certificate of stock corporations; ten cents for each certificate.

The ship Hazeltine, from New York for San Francisco has been wrecked off Cape Horn. A part of the crew were saved.

William R. Leehy and Edward Duffy were killed by a giant powder cartridge explosion in the Ophir on the 29th.

St. Louis wants a mint: Omaha also desires one, and also Salt Lake City. What a pity every city cannot have a mint.

The Iowa Legislature has restored the death penalty, after trying the imprisonment plan during a period of ten years.

In consequence of the continuance of unsettled weather, the fifty mile running race at Oakland park has been postponed until to day.

The nomination of Postmaster Coey, of San Francisco, has been confirmed by the Senate.

The law assessing each new certificate of mining stock 10c went into effect on the 3d.

Senator Bones was hanged in effigy by some unknown parties at Sacramento on Sunday night.

The internal revenue receipts for March show a falling off from the corresponding month of 1877 of $1,200,000.

The Government of Nicaragua has accepted the conditions proposed by Germany.

Eighty-three pictures belonging to Milton S. Latham were sold in New York Thursday for $101,325.

Up to the close of March 1,000,000 of the new silver dollars had been coined.

Cardinal McCloskey presented General Grant to Pope Leo on Saturday.

CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

It is a fixed fact that we are to have a Constitutional Convention. The bill calling this Convention was signed by the Governor on Monday morning. The election of delegates to the Convention is to be held on the third Wednesday in June, and the Convention is to assemble at Sacramento on the 28th day of September next at 12 o'clock M. The Convention is to consist of 152 delegates, 32 to be elected by the State at large, eight residents of each Congressional District. El Dorado and Alpine, jointly, elect two delegates, and El Dorado one. The eight receiving a plurality of votes in each Congressional District are to be declared duly elected. The election is to be conducted under the general election law, but the officers of election are not required to be furnished with new copies of the Great Register. The copies used at the last election are to serve the purpose, the officers to use the character "X" in place of the word "voted." Copies of the Register are not to be posted as under the general law. The returns are to be canvassed and sent to the Secretary of State, who shall then notify the Governor who have been elected delegates, and that official is to issue his proclamation, giving the names of the elected, and order the meeting of the convention. The delegates are to receive the same pay as members of the Legislature, but are not to be paid for over one hundred days. The Governor is to call the Convention to order, swear in the members, and preside, until a President is elected, but he can have no vote. The Secretary of State is to attend the Convention and act as Secretary until a Secretary is elected. All public officers are required to furnish the Convention with all the information and documents they may require. The Convention must be held with open doors, unless the public welfare demands secrecy. The new Constitution shall be submitted for adoption or rejection by the people at an election to be held on the first Wednesday of May, 1879. The Constitution is to be voted on as a whole, and every voter is obliged to vote in the precinct where he actually resides. The Convention is to fix the time when the new Constitution is to go into operation. The Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer and Controller, are to canvass the returns of the election, and if the new Constitution is adopted the Governor shall issue his proclamation and state when it will go into effect. The bill appropriates $100,000 for the expenses of the Convention. It is now in order for candidates to announce themselves, but after El Dorado's experience with Alpine it is likely that county will elect both joint members of the convention.

Ex-Governor Haight is going to Europe.

Tortures that Need not be Endured.

People suffer a great deal of pain unnecessarily. Among tortures that need not be endured are those inflicted by the rheumatism and gout, since the acrid element in the blood which produces them by contact with the sensitive covering of the muscles and joints may be eliminated by the use of that matchless depurent, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, before the inflammatory symptoms are developed to any great extent. When it is considered what excruciating tortures rheumatism inflicts, and what a tendency it has, when fully developed, to attack the heart, the advisability of an early use of such a reliable antidote becomes at once apparent. The rheumatic virus is expelled from the blood by the increased action of the kidneys—which act as strainers—produced by the Bitters, and the sufferer will find, if he uses this supreme defensive agent, that he will be protected against a return of the agonizing complaint. Dyspepsia, fever and ague, liver and bowel complaints and other maladies, are also cured by this admirable remedy.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE AND IN PURSUANCE OF AN Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court of the 18th Judicial District of the State of California in and for the County of Alpine, on a judgment rendered therein on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1877, in favor of N. D. Arnot, plaintiff, and against the Isabelle Gold and Silver Mining Company, and Lewis Chalmers, Defendants, for the sum of $1,983 85 gold coin damages, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum till paid, together with $41 10 costs and disbursements at the date of said judgment, and accruing costs amounting to the sum of $2 50, and all costs that may accrue, I have levied upon and seized and will expose to sale at public auction in front of the Court House door in the town of Markleeville, Alpine county, California, on

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1877,

at the hour of 12 o'clock M of that day, for gold coin, all the right, title and interest of the Isabelle Gold and Silver Mining Company and Lewis Chalmers, Defendants, of in and to the following described property, to wit:

The Isabelle Company's claims as follows:—The Pine Tree Claim of 1700 feet; the Adolphus Claim of 1000 feet, the Sandy Gulch of 1250 feet the Richmond Claim of 1400 feet; the Ben Nevis Claim of 1400 feet; the Sam Brannan Claim of 1000 feet; the Mendocino Claim of 1250 feet, the Boon Claim of 750 feet, together with the mill-site and water privileges, tunnels, shafts, and dumps—all in Scandivavian Canon, Silver Mountain Mining District, Alpine county, California, in all about 7292 feet, and being situated in S E ¼ of Section 16, Township 9, N R 19 E, M D B and M,

Also the I X L Quartz Mill, boarding house, pump house, house and blacksmith shop, and all the machinery and improvements therein, the same being situated near the road leading from the Exchequer Mill to the town of Silver Mountain, in N E ¼ of N E ¼ of Section 22, Township 9, N R 20 E. M D B and M.

The last described property is subject to an Execution in my hands in favor of N. D. Arnot for the sum of $7,586 91, besides interest and costs.

Dated Markleeville, July 5, 1877.

jy7-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, July 30, 1877.

au4-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

SEPTEMBER 17, 1877,

at same hour and place. Dated Markleeville Aug. 13th, 1877. J. B. SCOTT,

Aug13-td Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed to

SEPTEMBER 27, 1877,

at same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, Sept. 17th, 1877. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

OCTOBER 4, 1877,

at same hour and place,

Dated Markleeville, Sept. 27, 1877.

s29-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

NOVEMBER 6, 1877,

at same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, Oct. 4, 1877. J. B. SCOTT,

o6-td Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

NOVEMBER 13, 1877,

at same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Nov. 6, 1877.

n10-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

NOVEMBER 24, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Nov. 13, 1877.

n17-td J. B. SCOTT. Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

DECEMBER 4, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Nov. 23, 1877,

n24-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

DECEMBER 17, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Dec. 4, 1877.

d8-td J. B. SCOTT. Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

DECEMBER 24, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, December 17, 1877.

d22-td J. B. SCOTT. Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

DECEMBER 26, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Dec. 24, 1877.

d29-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

JANUARY 18, 1878,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Dec. 28, 1877.

d29-td J. B. SCOTT. Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

FEBRUARY 16, 1878,

at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, Jan. 26, 1878. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

MARCH 16, 1878,

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f16-td

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at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, March 16, 1878. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

m16-td

The above sale is hereby postponed till

APRIL 25, 1878,

at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, March 22, 1878, J. B. SCOTT,

m23-5t Sheriff.

MINING NOTICES.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

ADVANCE SILVER MINING COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California.

Location of works, Monitor Mining District, Alpine county, California.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 21st day of November, 1877, an assessment (No. 1) of 50 cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the Corporation, payable immediately in United States gold and silver coin, to the Secretary at the office of the Company, Room 16, 309 California street, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 15th day of April, 1878, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Thursday, the 9th day of May, 1878, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

B. LINGLEY, Secretary.

OFFICE.—Room 16, No. 309 California street, San Francisco, California. m16-1m

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

UTAH GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY.

Location of Principal place of Business, Markleeville, Alpine county, California.

Location of Works, Newtown, El Dorado county, California.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 1st of March A. D. 1878, an assessment (No. 2.) of 5 cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said corporation, payable immediately in gold and silver coin at the office of the Secretary of the Company, in Markleeville, Alpine county, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 10th day of April, 1878 will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and, unless payment is made before, will be sold on May 4th, 1878, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

m2-4t L. M. BUEL, Secretary.

LEGAL.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE AND IN PURSUANCE OF AN Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court of the 18th Judicial District of the State of California in and for the County of Alpine, on a judgment rendered therein on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1877, in favor of N. D. Arnot, Plaintiff, and against the Exchequer Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited) and Lewis Chalmers, Defendants, for the sum of $7,586 91 gold coin, damages, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum till paid, together with $83 10 costs and disbursements at the date of said judgment, and accruing costs amounting to the sum of $2 50, and all costs that may accrue, I have levied upon and seized and will expose to sale at public auction in front of the Court House door in the town of Markleeville, Alpine county, California, on

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1877,

at the hour of 12 o'clock M of that day, for gold coin, all the right, title and interest of the Exchequer Gold and Silver Mining Company Limited and Lewis Chalmers, defendants, of, in and to the following described property, to wit: The Buckeye No. 3 Claim consisting of ten claims of two hundred and fifty feet each—in all twenty-five hundred feet of the ledge or lode so named, as the same is more fully described in the Silver Mountain Mining, Records Book A, Page —, together with the tenements, blacksmith shop, and all block, plank, timber, mining rights, machinery, and privileges thereunto belonging, situated in N E ¼ of S W ¼ and S ½ of N W ¼ and N W ¼ Section 16, and S W ¼ of S W ¼ of Section 9, and E ½ of S ½ of Section 8, all in Township 9, North Range 20 E Mount Diablo Base and Meridian. The Acacia consisting of one thousand feet on the ledge or lode so named, as the same is recorded in said Records, Book I, pages 196 and 197, together with the tunnel, block, plank, timber, mining rights and privileges, and situated in N E ¼ of S W ¼ and E ½ of N W ¼ of Section 16, Township 9, N R 20 E, M D B and M.

Also, the Exchequer or Fremont Lode or Ledge, and all tunnels, cuts, shafts, dumps, buildings, machinery, and all improvements thereon, and all mining rights and privileges thereunto belonging and situated in N E ¼ of S W ¼ of Section 16, T 9, N. R, 20 E, M. D. B and M.

Also the mine and mining property known as the I X L, and all improvements thereon, and all tunnels, shafts, cuts, dumps, buildings, machinery, mining rights and privileges, and situated in S W ¼ of S E ¼ and W ½ of S E ¼ and E ½ of S W 1-4 of Section 16, and N W 1-4 of N E 1-4 of Section 21, Township 9, N R 20 E M D B and M.

Also, the I X L Quartz Mill, boarding house, pump house, blacksmith shop, and all the machinery contained in said mill, and pump house, and all improvements therein, being situated near the road leading from the Exchequer Mill to town of Silver Mountain in N E ¼ of N E ¼ of Section 22, Township 9, N R 20 E, M D B and M. Also the Exchequer Quartz Mill, saw-mill, O'Harra roasting furnace, two boarding houses at mill, blacksmith shop, assay office, dwelling house, two barns, and all the machinery and improvements contained therein, on S W ¼ of S E ¼ and S E ¼ of S W ¼ of Section 14, and N E ¼ of N E ¼ of Section 23, Township 9, N R 2 E, M D B and M,

Said property is subject to an attachment in my hands in favor of A. S. Hallidie for the sum of $2,393 75, besides interest and costs.

It is also subject to an Execution in my hands in favor of C. P. Gregory for the sum of $2,539 93, besides interest and costs.

Dated Markleeville, July 5, 1877.

jy7-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, July 30, 1877.

au4-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

SEPTEMBER 17, 1877,

at same hour and place. Dated, Markleeville, Aug. 13, 1877. J. B. SCOTT,

Aug13-td Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed to

SEPTEMBER 27, 1877,

at same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, Sept. 17th, 1877. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above is hereby postponed till

OCTOBER 4, 1877,

at same hour and place, Dated Markleeville, Sept. 27, 1877. J. B. SCOTT,

s29-1t Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

NOVEMBER 6, 1877,

at same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Oct. 4, 1877.

o6-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

NOVEMBER 13, 1877,

at same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Nov. 6, 1877.

n10-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

NOVEMBER 24, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Nov. 13, 1877.

n17-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

DECEMBER 4, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Nov. 23, 1877,

n24-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

DECEMBER 24, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, December 17, 1877.

d22-tc J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

DECEMBER 25, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Dec. 24, 1877.

d29-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

JANUARY 26, 1878,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Dec. 26, 1877.

d29-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

FEBRUARY 16, 1878,

at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, Jan. 26, 1878. J. B. SCOTT,

ja26-td Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

MARCH 16, 1878,

at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, Feb. 16, 1878. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

f16-td

The above sale is hereby postponed till

MARCH 22, 1878,

at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, March 16, 1878. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

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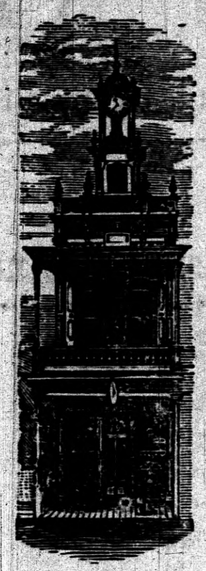

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN EXECUTION TO me directed and delivered, issued out of and under the seal of the District Court of the 18th Judicial District of the State of California in and for the County of Alpine, on a judgment rendered therein on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1877, in favor of N. D. Arnot Jr. Plaintiff, and against the Exchequer Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited, and Lewis Chalmers, Defendants, for the sum of $3,482 92 gold coin damages, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum till paid, together with $44 65 costs and disbursements at the date of said judgment, and accruing costs amounting to the sum of $2 50, and all costs that may accrue, I have levied upon and seized and will expose to sale at public auction in front of the Court House door in the town of Markleeville, Alpine county, California, on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1877,

at the hour of 12 o'clock M of that day for gold coin, all the right, title and interest and claim of the Exchequer Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited, and Lewis Chalmers, Defendants, of in and to the following described property, to wit:

The Exchequer Quartz Mill, Saw Mill, O'Harra Roasting Furnace, two boarding houses at mill, blacksmith shop, assay office, dwelling house, two barns and all the machinery and improvements therein, and situated in S W ¼ of S E ¼ and S E ¼ of S W ¼ of Section 14, and N E ¼ of N E ¼ of Section 23, all in Township 9, N R 20 E M D B and M.

Also the I X L Quartz Mill, boarding house, blacksmith shop and pump house, and all the machinery and improvements contained therein, said property being situated near the road leading from the Exchequer mill to the town of Silver Mountain, in N E ¼ of N E ¼ of Section 22, Township 9, N R 20 E, M D B and M.

The above described property is subject to three Executions in my hands amounting to the sum of $10,974 61, besides interest and costs

Dated Markleeville, July 5, 1877.

jy14-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1877,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, July 30, 1877.

au4-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

SEPTEMBER, 17, 1877,

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Dated Markleeville, Aug 13, 1877.

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SEPTEMBER 27, 1877,

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OCTOBER 4, 1877,

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o6-td Sheriff.

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NOVEMBER 6, 1877,

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The above sale is hereby postponed until

JANUARY 26, 1878,

at the same hour and place.

Dated Markleeville, Dec. 26, 1877.

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FEBRUARY 16, 1878.

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m16-td

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m23-5t Sheriff.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN EXECUTION TO me directed and delivered, issued out of and under the seal of the District Court of the 18th Judicial District of the State of California in and for the County of Alpine, on a judgment rendered therein on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1877, in favor of N. D. Arnot, Plaintiff, and against the I X L Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited, Defendant, for the sum of $2,556 58 gold coin damages, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum till paid, together with $71 70 costs and disbursements at the date of said judgment, and accruing costs amounting to the sum of $2 50, and all costs that may accrue. I have levied upon and seized and will expose to sale at public auction in front of the Court House door in the town of Markleeville, Alpine county, California, on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1877,

at the hour of 12 o'clock M of that day, for gold coin, all the right, title, interest and claim of I X L Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited, Defendant, of in and to the following described property, situated, lying and being in Alpine county, California, and described as follows, to wit:

The I X L Quartz Mill, boarding house, pump house, blacksmith shop, and all improvements and all machinery contained therein; said property being situated near the road leading from the Exchequer Mill to the town of Silver Mountain, in N E ¼ of N E ¼ of Section 22, Township 9, N R 20 E, M D B and M.

Also the Exchequer Quartz Mill, Saw Mill, O'Harra roasting furnace, two boarding houses blacksmith shop, dwelling house, two barns, and all machinery and improvements contained therein, and situated in S W ¼ of S E ¼ and S E ¼ of S W ¼ of Section 14, and N E ¼ of N E ¼ of Section 23, all in Township 9, N R 20 E, M D B and M.

The above property is subject to five Executions in my hands aggregating and amounting to $15,048 68, besides costs and interest.

Dated Markleeville, July 5, 1877.

jy14-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1877,

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The above sale is hereby postponed until

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THE CHRONICLE.

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1878.

County Official Press.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

OUR ROADS.—The roads are again in fair traveling condition, the worst portion being between the old toll house and our town, but the snow is fast disappearing on this portion of the road so we will soon have good roads again.—The bridge over Silver Creek at the foot of Union street requires looking after, but there seems to be a difference of opinion as to who is the proper one to attend to it. It is contended by some that the road Company should keep it in repair, while that Company hold that they have nothing to do with it, as the road is claimed to be owned by L. Chalmers, or the English Companies he has been representing. In case of an accident of a serious nature, arising from its insecurity, a judicial inquiry may be able to settle this vexed question.

OUR SCHOOLS.—Our public schools are being opened for the Summer campaign. The school at Fredricksburg, Clay District, has been opened under the charge of Miss Mary Fenley. Miss Mary Cook has charge of the school at Woodfords, Lincoln District. Miss Carpenter, an experienced teacher from Chicago, but recently residing at San Francisco, is engaged at Markleeville, Webster District. The Monitor, Everett District, and Silver Mountain, Franklin District, schools have not yet secured teachers.

PERSONAL.—Hon. Theron Reed, Judge of the 16th Judicial District will arrive at Markleeville on Monday and open the District Court Tuesday morning.

Cyrus Coleman is at Sacramento, and will return home next week.

We this morning had the pleasure of a call from Superintendent Coleman, of the Double Standard, at Monitor, who is here after supplies for the mill, which he hopes to have in running order in a few days.

PROBATE.—On Monday last, in the Probate Court, Judge Griffith, on motion of Judge Virgin, of Genoa, admitted to probate the last will and testament of Thomas W. Lagget, deceased. George D. Fryer, and John P. Elliott, of Carson, Nev., are named as Executors.

DEPUTY ASSESSOR.—R. E. Montgomery, of Markleeville, has been appointed Deputy Assessor by Assessor Grover, for the purpose of making this year's assessment. Mr. Montgomery is now engaged in assessing the wood cut this Winter for export.

ARM BROKEN.—At Bodie, on the 25th of March, William Bartel, late of Silver Mountain, while working in a shaft at one of the mines in that district, had an arm broken by a rock, which fell some 200 feet. Billy has been a steady, industrious man since he left here and we regret to hear of this misfortune.

UTAH.—The delinquent list of this Company will be published next week. Work is progressing well, we learn.

A NICE PLACE.—Judging from the following description of Bodie, Mono county, that town must be a very desirable spot for respectable families to locate: Bodie has a population of 1,500, about 600 of whom are out of employment, and of which latter number not over 250 would work could they find work to do. There are in the town seventeen saloons, five stores, two livery stables, six restaurants, one newspaper, four barber shops, two butcher shops, one fruit store, one tin shop, one jewelry store, one saddle shop, two drug stores three doctors, four lawyers, post office, express office, fifteen houses of ill fame, one bakery, two blacksmith shops, two lumber yards, two daily stage lines, the usual secret societies and a miners' union. Lots are worth from $100 to $1,000. Lumber sell at $70 to $100 per thousand feet.

To-night the curtain will be lowered on this session of the Legislature and the people will not be sorry. Elected by the Democratic party it has falsified the platform with which it appealed to the public for favor; sent to office by the people it has turned its back upon them; with the understood purpose of perpetuating Democratic power and Democratic principles, it has stabbed them in the dark and given them almost a death blow. What it has done in a right-ous spirit is infinitesimal; what it has not done would take too long to enumerate; what it should not have done and has tried to do the public bear in mind.—Sacramento *Bee*, April 1st.

The Workingmen were defeated at the late election at Santa Rosa. They will be beaten every time, unless they have different leaders and have less to say about "hanging, assassination," etc.

The late Mark Hopkins leaves an estate estimated by those best competent to judge at $15,000,000.

The telegraph rates to all points east of Ogden have been fixed at the uniform charge of $2 for ten words.

The insurgents are still surrendering to the Spanish authorities in Cuba.

J. B. Knight, Secretary of the Franklin Institute, Philadelphia, and a well-known scientific engineer, has just investigated the Keely motor, and in a long report denounces it as a fraud and a humbug, giving specifications, among them that the so-called vapor is simply compressed air, and that possibly no more pressure than 500 pounds to the square inch could be procured. Keely is angry at these revelations, and the stockholders who have spent millions are astonished.

The Norfolk *Virginian* is very severe on "that discreditable body," the Legislature of Virginia, and says the State never had enemies in the open field so dangerous and destructive as they who, in the short space of two months, have "succeeded in bringing the State to the brink of ruin, and are doing more to break down its credit, stain its honor, and destroy its future than all the Federal armies were able to accomplish in four years.

NEW PATENTS.—Through Dewey & Co. Patent Agents, San Francisco, we receive the following list of U. S. patents granted to Pacific coast inventors:

R. H. Campbell, Red Bluff, flume; N. P. Chipman, Red Bluff, mode for bunching lumber for running through V shaped flumes; W. H. Abrams, Eugene City, Ogn., saw-mill head block; E. Moreau, S. F., apparatus for the production of hot air; (labels) W. S. Halpruner, S. F., salve.

General Sherman stands by Montana. A delegation of Texans called on him recently at Washington, and were praising the resources of their State. The General heard them through; and said, "he was pretty well acquainted with the State of Texas, but he would not give one county of Montana for the entire State."

It is reported that England is making large purchases of horses in the West and Southwest for the cavalry service in the English army. The largest purchases have been made in Kentucky and Illinois. Eighteen thousand horses it is understood, will be bought and shipped by way of Canada.

The House of Delegates of Maryland has voted that the State is not responsible for damages to property during the strikers' riots in Baltimore, it being an occasion where the laws could not be enforced in due time to prevent destruction of property.

The legal profession and county officials will now have to be very studious at posting themselves in regard to the laws passed during the session of the Legislature. Many an active brain will be muddled with attempts to unravel our laws.

The House Committee on Electoral Count has agreed to report in favor of fixing the tenure of the Presidential office at six years, and declaring the President ineligible to re election.

Secretary Sherman says he has made all the arrangements necessary for a full supply of what silver bullion he may need in carrying out the provisions of the silver bill.

A stranger who was about to purchase a building lot in Danbury wanted the deed made out so as to protect him from any future action by Mrs. Gaines of Lonisiana.

General A. V Kautz, lately commanding the Department of Arizona, is to be court martialed at Omaha for the publication of a pamphlet in reference to army matters.

Senator Lewis has been appointed Major General to the National Guard of this State. We hope he will not sign his name as "Gen. E. J. Lewis, Esq."

The French State Prison at Folsom is to be finished, the late Legislature having passed the bill to that effect.

The gold coin sealed up in the sub Treasury vaults at New York, exclusive of loose gold and bullion, amounts to $97,000,000.

Always take a rope into your room at the hotel. It may enable you to slide out even if there is no fire. A big board-bill is as bad as a conflagration.

An honest man is the most lonesome work of the Creator.—Rome *Sentinel*.

The next State Fair will be held September 16th.

NEARLY HALF A CENTURY!—IT IS NOW over forty years since BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA and PILLS were first introduced to the public, and now, after that long period of trial, they are universally admitted to be the best of all remedies for impure blood and humors, scrofula, old sores, and confirmed rheumatism.

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A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c.—I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a mission ary in South America. Send a self addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.*

Senator Bones has applied in San Francisco for a permit to carry a concealed weapon.

LEGAL.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS OF THE Estate of THOMAS J. ORGON, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the Administrator of the above named Estate to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers with in four months from the first publication of this notice to the undersigned at Johnson's Hotel, Markleeville, Alpine county, California. W. A. JOHNSON.

Markleeville, March 6, 1878. m9-4w

DELINQUENT TAX SALE.

ALPINE COUNTY, STATE OF CALIFORNIA. SHERIFF'S OFFICE, MARKLEEVILLE, February 1, 1878.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE following described property for Taxes assessed thereon for the fiscal year 1877 and 1878 for State and County purposes, and against the following named persons or owners, the following amounts and costs.

Advance Gold & Silver Mining Company and the right of possession in and to a series of mining claims known as the Sam Booth, Esmeralda, Alert, and Wide West and White Swan, in Monitor Mining District, ¼ mile below the town of Monitor, assessed at $6000; also ore house, engine and boiler, and hoisting works belonging to said mine, assessed at $2500 also mill-site and mill property, about ½ mile below Mt. Bullion, on the main Carson river, assessed at $6000; also boarding house and assay office at the said mill, at $500; 1 diamond drill, $750; timber, 1900 feet, $340; 60 cords of wood, $240; 100 cords of wood, $370; total assessment, $18,900. Amount of tax and costs, —
$544 28

Alpine Wood & Lumbering Co. and the right of possession in and to one saw mill on Pocket Mill creek, $500; flume, $500; water right, $50; 1 wagon, $75; total assessment, $1125. Amount of tax and costs
$33 34

J. F. Boyd and the right to possession in and to lot 8 in block 22 in town of Silver Mountain, improvements thereon, $100; also a mining claim known as Knox G & S M Co. of 850 feet, on the I X L lode in Silver Mountain Mining District, $200; total $300. Amount of tax and costs
$9 00

Wm. Brown and the right of possession in and to lots 10, 11, 12 in block 11, lots 8 & 9 in block 9, $100; lot 5 in block 28, $25 all in town of Silver Mountain; furniture $75; total $200.—Amount of tax and costs
$7 23

Butler & Rea and the right of possession in and to tract of land known as Peoris Range, joining Faith Valley on the w, improvements thereon, containing 300 acres, $300, Amount of tax and costs
$9 10

Aaron Brown and the right of possession in and to tract of land on the Hutchinson creek, about 5½ miles s w from Markleeville, containing 160 acres, $200. Amount of tax and costs
$6 23

Moss Bixby and the right of possession in and to tract of land on main Carson river, about 1 mile above the falls in Sec. 7, T 7, R 21 E, improvements thereon, containing 160 acres, $200; 1 wagon $100; 4 harness $30; 6 horses $360, 1 horse $25, hay $25; furniture, $25, fire-arms $10 total $695. Amount of tax and costs
$20 68

F. Champagne and the right of possession in and to a tract of land near Markleeville creek, formerly known as the Musser & Jarvis ranch, containing 160 acres, $800. Amount of tax and costs
$6 23

Lewis Chalmers and the right of possession in and to a series of claims in Monitor District, lying north of those known as the Imperial, including Lode D, all being patented to Imperial, $500; also series of claims lying south of Imperial Co., and also being patented as Imperial South, $500; also 3 claims on Mt. America known as 12, 13 & 14, $100; also claims in Silver Mountain District known as the Del Monte, the I X L No. 2 and the Chalmers claims, $500, also the Henrietta, Antoinetta and Ellen claims on the Alabama, $500; the Monte Christo No. 2 and 3, being the north extension of the Exchequer in Alpine District, $100; the Providence, South Accacia or Good Times, Mineral Point south of the Nordell, on the I X L lode, $200; these 2 claims lying north of the Adolphus, of 3000 feet, in Scandinavian canon, known as the Badger Hill 1500 feet, and Silver Hill 1500 feet, $1600; the claim lying north of the Jessie and known as the Justice 1500 feet, $250; the Hope claim 1500 feet; the St. Helena claim in Alpine District, $500; the Isabella claim South, $100; also tract of land known as e ½ of n w ¼ Sec 14 and the s w ¼ of the n w ¼ Section 14, $200; also s ½ lots 8 & 9 in block 4, $50; n ½ lots 8 & 9 in block 7, $50; s ½ lot 5 in block 6, $50, all in town of Silver Mountain; assaying scales, $150; surveying instruments, $75; harness, $20; library, $50, 1 horse, $100; 1 horse, $50; 4 hogs, $20; 1 watch, $100; jewelry, $20; furniture, $100; wine, $10; poultry, $24; fire-arms, $40; total $5,350. Amount of tax and costs
$161 11

G. D. Conner and the right of possession in and to ½ of sheep range known as Clover Valley, containing 160 acres, improvements thereon, $450. Amount of tax and costs
$13 30

James Davidson and the right of possession in and to lot 1 in block 3, $50; lot 12 in block 4, $40; lot 7 in block 6, $40; lot 1 in block 7, $150; lot 2 in block 7, $40; lot 5 in block 7, $200; lots 10 & 11 in block 5, $60; all in the town of Silver Mountain, with improvements thereon; money $60; 1 horse, $35; 1 watch $75; fixtures of saloon $150; fire-arms, $10, total $680. Amount of tax and costs
$20 07

C. C. Davidson and the right of possession in and to tract of land about 1 mile below Foster's and joining the State line, containing 50 acres, $100; 2 wagons, $180; harness, $20; 5 horses, $100; furniture, $20; 20 cords of wood, $80; total $460. Amount of tax and costs
$14 17

William B. Devine and the right of possession in and to tract of land e of the Big Tree road and south of Charity Valley and known as the Jeff Davis rock range, with improvements thereon, containing 640 acres, $500.—Amount of tax and costs
$14 83

John Fearon and the right of possession in and to a lot of land in town of Silver Mountain, above the Mountain Co.'s office, 50 by 80 feet, $50; 1 cow, $40; 2 hogs, $10; total, $100. Amount of tax and costs
$3 07

Flint G. & S. M. Co. and the right of possession in to a mining claim in Monitor Mining District, known as the Flint G. & S. M. Co., with improvements thereon, $1500. Amount of tax and costs
$43 66

Thomas Fowler and the right of possession in and to sheep range known as the Border Ruffian range, between Charity and Clover valleys, containing 160 acres, $800. Amount of tax and costs
$6 23

Globe Mining Co. and the right of possession in and to mine in Monitor Mining District known as the Globe, Worden, and Laura claims, with improvements thereon, $1500.—Amount of tax and costs
$43 66

Griffith & McLaughlin and the right of possession in and to tract of land on Indian creek inclosed by a fence, containing 320 acres, $320. Amount of tax and costs
$10 52

J. W. Harvey and the right of possession in and to lots 4 & 5 in block 26 in town of Silver Mountain, $50. Amount of tax and costs
$1 93

N. S. Harrold and the right of possession in and to a tract of land at the north end of Indian Valley, improvements thereon, containing 320 acres, $800. Amount of tax and costs
$23 43

C. R. & C. H. Harrold and the right of possession in and to a tract of land at the south end of Indian Valley, with improvements thereon, containing 320 acres, $400. Amount of tax and costs
$23 43

E. Jarvis and the right of possession in and to tract of land in the Hutchinson Canon, about 6 miles s of Markleeville, containing 160 acres, $200; 1 wagon, $100; harness $10; 8 horses $150; 1 mule $50, 5 cows $175, 4 calves $20, furniture $25, musical instrument $10; total $790. Amount of tax
$23 73

Johnson & Goyhen and the right of possession in and to tract of land on the main Carson river, about 2 miles south of Foster's ranch, containing 160 acres, $200. Amount of tax and costs
$6 10

J. W. Johnson and the right of possession in and to tract of land, near Bear valley, known as Onion valley, containing 320 acres, $480; also range in Noble canon, near Silver Mountain, $300; 2000 lambs, not returned as migratory, $1000; total $1780. Amount of tax and costs —
$47 35

Urbane Lefeve and the right of possession in and to tract of land in what is known as Hutchinson canon and about 3½ miles from Markleeville, containing 160 acres, $200. Amount of tax and costs
$6 23

Levi Miller and the right of possession in and to lot 6 & 12 block 2, $225; lot 11 in block 3, $25; lots 1 & 7 in block 4, $40; lot 6 in block 6, $25; n ½ lot 8 in block 14, $40; s ½ lots 8 & 9 in block 4, $75; lots 6 & 12 in block 28, $75; lots 2 & 9 in block 10—all in town of Silver Mountain, with improvements; also tract of land in Scandinavian canon, containing 160 acres, $120, also the Treasure Hill Consolidated series of ledges, 10 in all, No. of feet—1500 in each, in Alpine Mining District, $200, also the Rose G & S M Co. of 1500 feet in Alpine Mining District, $100; total $985. Amount of tax and costs
$28 57

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Joseph McClay and the right of possession in and to lots 1, 5, & 6 in block 18 in town of Silver Mountain, $90; also 200 feet of ground commencing at 1st street and running s 200 feet opposite the Mountain Co.'s office, $80; also 100 feet of land on Main street and 100 feet on Union street above Fisk's Hotel, $50; also 20 feet of block 18, $50; also s ½ of lots 5 & 11 in block 1, $50; total $320. Amount of tax and costs
$11 16

Marion G. & S. M. Co. and the right of possession in and to a mining claim in Monitor Mining District known as the Marion G. & S. M. Co., $500. Amount of tax and costs
$14 83

Walter Meyer and the right of possession in and to mining claim in Mogul District known as the Nevada Co., $100. Amount of tax and costs
$3 36

James McIntosh and the right of possession in and to the e ½ of n e ¼ Sec 24, T 8, N R 21 E, 160 acres; also e ½ of s e ¼ S e 13, T 8, N R 21 E, $320; flume on same, $100; harness $10, 3 horses $300, furniture $25, 1879 cords of wood $6,676, 200 cords of old wood $600; total $7,811. Amount of tax and costs
$53 43

J. McNorton and the right of possession in and to a sheep range near the head of Bagley valley, containing 800 acres, $300. Amount of tax and costs
$9 10

W. C. Murdock and the right of possession in and to tract of land bounded e by Hamilton's w by Carson river, n by Simmon's, s by Konig's containing 600 acres, $300. Amount of tax and costs
$9 09

Martin Mousch and the right of possession in and to tract of land near Burnside Lake, bounded s and w by Mein's range, n by Hope Valley, containing 160 acres, $200. Amount of tax and costs
$6 23

M. Nettle and the right of possession in and to lots 4 and 10 and 5 & 11, 6 & 12 in block 9 in town of Silver Mountain, with improvements thereon, $2000; also mining claim of 1000 feet, known as Brown claim, $100; also mining claim of 1000 feet, known as Beehive claim, $100; also mining claim of 1500 feet known as Blue Jacket, $100, all of these claims being in Scandinavian canon, Silver Mountain Mining District, and formerly known as the Pittsburg Co.'s claims; total $4100. Amount of tax and costs.
$33 53

Occident Consolidated G. & S. M. Co. and the right of possession in and to 3000 feet of mining ground in Silver Mountain District, formerly known as the Rippen Co., $500. Amount of tax and costs
$14 83

Mrs. R. Patterson and the right of possession in and to lot 1 in block 29, $200; lot 6 in block 49, $50; all in town of Silver Mountain, with improvements thereon; total $250. Amount of tax and costs
$8 23

A. D. L. Payne and the right of possession in and to tract of land described as follows: Joining Peterson's ranch on the north and Harvey's ranch on the south, east and west by vacant lands, containing 160 acres, $200; also lots 2 & 3 in block 20 in town of Silver Mountain; $40; 1 cow $25, furniture $50, sewing machine $40; total $365. Amount of tax and costs
$11 96

C. & I. Perryman and the right of possession in and to tract of land in Highland District, bounded s by Marshall's range e by Roby n by Hitchcock range, containing 200 acres, $250.—Amount of tax and costs
$7 66

Andrew Qualle and the right of possession in and to s ½ of lots 4 & 10 in block 6, $350; lot 6 in block 8, $150; fixtures of saloon, $75; all in town of Silver Mountain; total $575. Amount of tax and costs
$17 97

John J. Rice and H. C. Ginn and the right of possession in and to lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 9, 10, 11 & 12 in block 51, $125; lots 1, 2, 6 & 7 in block 7, $150; lots 1 & 7 in block 4, $75; lots 2, 3, & 4 in block 18, $30; lots 4, 5, 6, 10, 11 & 12 in blk 48, $40; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, & 10 in block 37, $50; lot 1 in block 38, $60; all in town of Silver Mountain, improvements, etc.; also the Hermit Valley range, $400; also Brewery in South Park, also the Buffalo and Silver Creek G. & S. M. Co.'s claims in Silver Mountain Mining District $800; also house and lot above Maxwell's stable at the upper end of Monitor, and also 100 feet x land at the lower end of Moyer creek in Monitor being lot 6 in block 7 of said town, with improvements, $100; 1 wagon $50, harness $10, 1 horse $100; total $1,385. Amount of tax and costs
$15 52

Wm. Radley and the right of possession in and to tract of land on the Carson river, adjoining the Konig ranch, containing 160 acres, $200, Amount of tax and costs
$6 23

Walter Raby and the right of possession in and to tract of land on the Stanislaus river, used as a sheep range, containing 160 acres, $100, Amount of tax and costs
$3 36

J. S. Roy and the right of possession in and to tract of land on west side of road leading from Markleeville to Woodfords, bounded n and w by Peterson's ranch, improvements thereon, containing 160 acres, $300. Amount of tax and costs
$9 09

Schenectady G. & S. M. Co. and the right of possession in and to in town of Monitor a lot of land adjoining Pioneer on the w, with quartz mill thereon, $15,000; also lots 6, 7, & 8, in block 14 in town of Monitor, $100, assaying tools $100; total $15,200. Amount of tax and costs
$418 53

E. Spencer and the right of possession in and to lots 1, 2, 7, & 8 in block 15, $100; lots 7 in blk 9, $20; lot 10 in block 2, $20, lots 7, 9, 10, 12, & 4, in block 14, $100; lots from 1 to 12 in block 44, $120; also 100 feet of land at upper end of Main street, Silver Mountain, and opposite Mountain Co.'s lot, $40; all in town of Silver Mountain, furniture, $50. Amount of tax and costs
$12 39

Scandinavian Toll Road and the right of possession in and to toll road leading from Silver Mountain to the I X L Company's hoisting works, $500. Amount of tax and costs $14 83

Snow and the right of possession in and to tract of land on the north side of the Carson river from the old toll house to Harvey's ranch, 200 acres, $200; also sheep range in Highland, known as the Snow range, containing 320 acres, $200; total $400. Amount of tax and costs
$12 36

Hiram Tyre and Jenkins and the right of possession in and to tract of land in Highland, used as a sheep range, with house and corral thereon, containing 160 acres, $150. Amount of tax and costs
$4 79

Unknown Owner No. 2 and the right of possession in and to tract of land on Dixon creek, flume and other improvements thereon, containing 160 acres, $500, 700 cords of wood at $2 50 $1750; total $2250. Amount of tax and costs $65 40

Isaac Watson and the right of possession in and to tract of land, in section 5, Township 7, R 21 E, containing 160 acres, $200; 1 watch $20, furniture $20, fire-arms $20, lumber $30, 194 cords of wood $679; total $1009. Amount of tax and costs
$29 91

W. B. Williams and the right of possession in and to tract of land in Hope Valley, known as Red Lake ranch, containing 320 acres, $800, also in Hope Valley ranch known as Forest Dale ranch containing 160 acres, $400; property in trust for Swift—50 horses $1,500; 100 head of cattle, $1400; total $3700. Amount of tax and costs
$107 56

I. A. Woods and the right of possession in and to the tract of land on the western summit bounded on the west by Caples' ranch known as Woods' claim, containing 160 acres, $500; property in trust for Matthews, 1000 sheep, $1000 total $1500. Amount of tax and costs
$ 2 19

Wilson & Rafferty and the right of possession in and to tract of land in Clover Valley, bounded s by Deer creek e by Indian valley containing 160 acres, $350. Amount of tax and costs
$10 52

Thomas Wheeler and the right of possession in and to tract of land on the Big Tree Road, known as the Stanislaus Meadows, corral thereon, containing 320 acres, $400. Amount of tax and costs
$11 96

A. G. White and the right of possession in and to tract of land in what is known as the Hutchinson canon, about 6½ miles from the town of Markleeville, containing 160 acres, $200 Amount of tax and costs
$6 23

Unless said Delinquent taxes, together with the costs and per centages are paid, the real property upon which such taxes are a lien in each of the above cases, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy said taxes, costs and per centage, will be sold on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1878,

between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M., to wit, at 12 o'clock M., of that day, in front of the Court House door in the town of Markleeville, Alpine county, Cal.

J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff, and
ex-officio Tax Collector of Alpine county.

The above sale is hereby postponed till

MARCH 16, 1878,

at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, February 28, 1878. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector of Alpine county. m2-td

The above sale is hereby postponed till

MARCH 22, 1 78,

at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, March 8, 1878. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector of Alpine county. m164d

The above sale is hereby postponed till

APRIL 24, 1878,

at same hour and place, Dated Markleeville, March 29, 1878. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector of Alpine county. m30-4td

TYPE METAL
(Better than Babbet).
For sale at this office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE AND IN PURSUANCE OF AN Execution to me directed and delivered, issued out of and under the seal of the District Court of the 16th Judicial District of the State of California in and for the County of Alpine, on a judgment rendered therein on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1877, in favor of C. B. Gregory Plaintiff, and against the Exchequer Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited) and Lewis Chalmers, Defendants, in the sum of $2,530 98 gold coin, damages, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum till paid, together with $186 70 costs and disbursements at the date of said judgment, and accruing costs amounting to the sum of $2 50, and all costs that may accrue, I have levied upon and seized, and will expose to sale at public auction in front of the Court House door in the town of Markleeville, Alpine county, California, on

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1877,

at the hour of 12 o'clock M of that day, for gold coin, all the right, title and interest of the Exchequer Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited, and Lewis Chalmers, Defendants, of in to the following described property, to wit:

The Buckeye No. 2 Claim consisting of ten claims of two hundred and fifty feet each—in all twenty-five hundred feet of the Ledge or Lode so named, as the same is more fully described in the Silver Mountain Mining Records, Book A, page 27, together with the tenements, blacksmith shop, and all block, plank, timber, machinery, mining rights and privileges thereunto belonging, situated in N E ¼ of S W ¼ and S ½ of N W ¼ and N W ¼ of Section 16, and S W ¼ of S W ¼ of Section 9, and E ½ of S E ¼ of Section 8, all in Township 9, North Range 20 E, M D B and M.

Also the Acacia Mining Claim consisting of one thousand feet on said Ledge, and being more fully described in Book I, pages 196 and 197, with the tunnel, block, mining rights and privileges, and being in N ½ of S W ¼ and E ½ of N W ¼ of Section 16, Township 9, N R 20 E M D B and M.

Also the Exchequer or Fremont Ledge, and all timbers, cuts, shafts, dumps, buildings, machinery and all improvements thereon, and all mining rights and privileges thereunto belonging, and situated N E ¼ of S W ¼ of Section 16, Township 9, N R 20 E M D B and M.

Said property is subject to an attachment in my hands in favor of A. S. Hallidie for the sum of $2,303 75, besides interest and costs.

Dated Markleeville July 5, 1877.
jy7-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till
TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1877,
at the same hour and place.
Dated Markleeville, July 30, 1877.
au4-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till
SEPTEMBER 17, 1877,
at same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, Aug 13th, 1877. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.
Aug18-td

The above sale is hereby postponed to
SEPTEMBER 27, 1877,
at same hour and place. Dated Markleeville Sept. 17th, 1877. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till
OCTOBER 4, 1877,
at same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, Sept. 27, 1877. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.
s29-1t

The above sale is hereby postponed till
NOVEMBER 6, 1877,
at same hour and place.
Dated Markleeville, Oct. 4, 4877.
o6-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till
NOVEMBER 23, 1877,
at same hour and place.
Dated Markleeville, Nov. 6, 1877.
n10-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until
DECEMBER 4, 1877,
at the same hour and place.
Dated Markleeville, Nov. 23, 1877.
n24-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until
DECEMBER 17, 1877,
at the same hour and place.
Dated Markleeville, Dec. 4, 1877.
d8-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until
DECEMBER 26, 1877,
at the same hour and place
Dated Markleeville, December 17, 1877.
d26-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until
JANUARY 26, 1878,
at the same hour and place.
Dated Markleeville, Dec. 26, 1877.
d26-td J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till
FEBRUARY 16, 1878
at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, Jan. 26, 1878. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed till
MARCH 16, 1878,
at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, Feb. 16, 1878. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.
f16-td

The above sale is hereby postponed till
MARCH 22, 1878,
at the same hour and place. Dated Markleeville, March 16, 1878. J. B. SCOTT, Sheriff.
m16-td

The above sale is hereby postponed till
APRIL 25, 1878,
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SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1878.

The Chances at Faro.

Having read the recent tragic death of a St. Louis gambler in last Sunday's *Sun*, I have thought it advisable to give the public an idea of the gambler's chances. It is safe to venture the assertion that if a person could be thoroughly convinced there was no chance whatever of his winning a penny, but that he would, to an absolute certainty, lose every dollar he might hazard at the game of faro, he would forever abandon a habit so demoralizing in its results. There is no reason whatever why a mind capable of reasoning should not arrive at the conclusion that although one may enjoy temporary luck at intervals, his ultimate defeat is as sure as that his moral nature suffers depletion with the turn of every card.

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Old gamblers declare that any man will beat himself at guessing in the long-run, and upon the truth of that axiom the gamblers who run these dens of theft thrive at the expense of the infatuated men who refuse to accept it until ruin stares them in the face. Those who have given the subject much attention declare that not more than four gamblers in this county ever amassed a competence by gaming, unless they owned and conducted games themselves.

It is in small communities that gambling hells occasion their greatest amount of misery, for they depend for custom not upon an army of professional sports, but their supporters are furnished from the artisan population and mercantile community—the very ones who can least afford to lose the tribute money that the tiger daily extorts from votaries. It would be ridiculous were it not mournful, this blind mania for play and belief in treacherous chance. Your novice, and your veteran as well, will play the game on Monday and lose twenty five dollars, repeat the dose on Tuesday to the tune of thirty dollars. Wednesday ditto of twenty dollars, and if he makes a winning of fifty dollars on Thursday he will go home perfectly satisfied, confident of his ability to beat faro, never pausing to reflect that a summary of his four days' work shows him seventy-five dollars out of pocket to only fifty dollars received.—*Cor. N. Y. Sun.*

There are but few things more productive of evil in domestic life than a thoroughly bad temper. It does not matter what form that temper may assume, whether it is of a sulky kind that maintains perfect silence for many days, or the madly passionate, which vents itself in absolute violence. Ill temper at any age is a bad thing; it never does anybody any good, and those who indulge in it feel no better for it. After the passion has passed away, one sees that he has been very foolish, and knows that others see it too. Bad temper in the aged is, perhaps, the most trying of all. It is, indeed, a pitiable sight to see the wrinkled face of an old person aflame with anger and passion. Since anger is useless and an unspeakable misery to its victims, why should it be indulged in at all?

A man shot at a cat, and brought down his wife the first time. The most singular part is, the wounded woman actually beleives that he aimed at the cat. One of the most beautiful characteristics of a wife is the unswerving confidence she places in the word of her husband.

A Belgian editor has proved a man of stern principle. He was convicted of an unjust attack on a correspondent, and ordered by the court to insert the reply of the person aggrieved. Rather than obey this order he stopped the publication of his paper.

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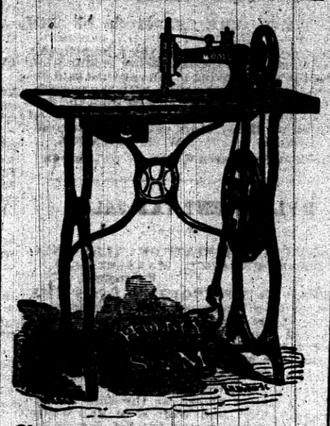

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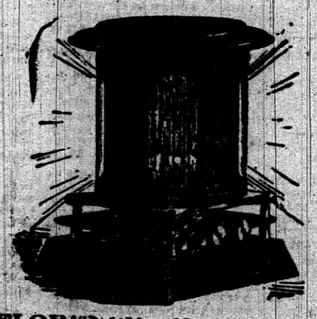

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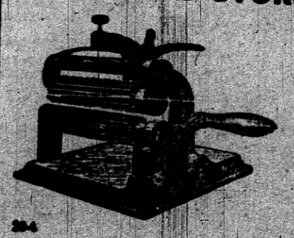

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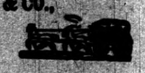

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